



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

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CWP-12868-2021 (O&M)

Date of decision: 19.03.2025

Ashwani Kumar

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and Others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMAN CHAUDHARY

Present : Mr. Vipin Mahajan, Advocate for the petitioner

Ms. Shruti, AAG Punjab

AMAN CHAUDHARY, J. (ORAL)

CM-19521-CWP-2024

For the reasons mentioned in the application, the same is allowed.

Replication is taken on record, subject to all just exceptions.

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1. The petitioner was dismissed from service on account of lodging of FIR against him without holding any enquiry.

2. Learned counsel states that the petitioner stands acquitted vide judgment dated 11.03.2025, by learned Additional Sessions Judge-cum-Special Judge, and thus prays for reconsideration, his case being on also better footing than those, whose dismissal was based on conviction and on subsequent acquittal from the Appellate Court, the cases were to be reviewed as per instructions dated 05.08.1998 issued in terms of the judgment in the case of **Deputy Director of Collegiate Edu. (Admn.) Madras vs. S. Nagoor Meera**, 1995 (2) SCT 717.

3. The aforesaid facts having been brought out, during the course of hearing, learned State counsel, on instructions, states that the respondents would not be averse to having a relook at the matter and decide within a period of 4 months, which this Court has no reason to believe the authorities would not address in a just, fair and reasonable manner, which satisfies the learned counsel for the petitioner.

4. Disposed of accordingly.

(AMAN CHAUDHARY)
JUDGE

19.03.2025
M.Kamra

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes / No
Whether reportable	:	Yes / No